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Dear Bunny:

When I met with Senator Edwards several weeks ago I told him of your decision to give another \$1 million to help him with his good work. He was much appreciative (hoping though that later you might wish to give more support to the Center). He said he would like to consider how to allocate the million – and has now said he would like \$650,000 to go to his Center now and hold off sending the balance to a later date when he decides where he would like it directed.

I sent the \$650,000 check out yesterday – so you may be hearing from him.

All the attention for the moment seems to be focused on Mrs. Edwards' book. I have not read it yet but have seen her discussing it on television.

Birthday Wishes to Eliza
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